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## NEW BRITISH BUDGET

SIR MICHAEL HICKS-BEACH ANNOUNCES THE FINANCIAL ESTIMATES.

### RESTOCKING OF THE FARMS

Chancellor of the Exchequer Grows Unusually Eloquent in Referring to the Government's Intention to Restock the Boer and Colonial Farms. Income Tax and Stamps on Checks Creates Most Comment.

London, April 15.—Not for many years has Great Britain's fiscal programme been awaited with such interest as that which attached to this year's announcement and there is no doubt that all the proposals contained in the budget given out by Sir Michael Hicks-Beach, the chancellor of the exchequer, will be adopted. It is equally certain, however, that none of the proposals will meet with the unanimous approval of either side of the house.

More important, perhaps, than the curious forms of the new taxations, is the statement made by the chancellor of the exchequer that the government had acceded to the Boer demand concerning the restocking of farms.

At a late hour the Associated Press learned upon excellent authority that the principal provision of the budget, namely, the treasury loan of £32,000,000, upon which Sir Michael Hicks-Beach was remarkably reticent, has a serious bearing upon the peace question. There appears to be a very strong belief in the cabinet that, owing to the expected early termination of the war, the £32,000,000 will never be needed. When that section of the budget gets to the committee stage, the peace negotiations will probably have reached such shape that Sir Michael Hicks-Beach will be able to announce a diminution of the estimates. In any case, this loan probably will be called up in small installments only.

### Strong Hope of Peace Exists.

The failure to explain the important point in taken in the house of commons to indicate that the government has strong hopes of a speedy issue of the negotiations now progressing at Pretoria between the Boer leaders, although it wishes to impress the world in general and the Boers in particular with its ability and determination to push the war to a finish should the British terms of peace be refused.

Sir Michael Hicks-Beach is seldom dramatic, but when he referred to the government's intention to restock the Boer as well as the colonial farms, his voice rose to an eloquent pitch. His gesture as he spoke in praise of the valor of the Boers and expressed his hopes for subsequent friendship between Britain and Boer, took the house with him, and the cheers, especially from the opposition, prevented the speaker from continuing his speech for some moments. During this pause the chancellor of the exchequer turned towards Mr. Chamberlain, the colonial secretary, who sat pale and motionless, palpably none too pleased at this official recantation of his "unconditional surrender" formula.

The opinions gathered by the Associated Press in interviews with members of the house of commons, indicate the existence of a considerable divergence of ideas with regard to the new taxation, which, although comparatively unimportant in the revenue it will yield, affects important economic principles which have hitherto been held rather sacred by certain schools of English politicians.

### A Tariff for Revenue Only.

A disadvantage claimed on all sides is the small amount Sir Michael Hicks-Beach raises by direct taxation, and the huge load, admitting that he has raised the whole loan of £32,000,000, which he saddles on posterity.

Henry Norman voiced the opinion of the Imperialist Liberals, when he said:

"You cannot call it protection. It is a tariff for revenue only, and America will have no cause for retaliation. But it is irritating without being compensating. Of course, it will pass. If the government told its supporters to eat their hats, they would do it without a murmur. The regulation concerning checks is a slavish imitation of the American action during the Spanish-American war."

Outside of the house of commons, the income taxes and the increase in the amount of the stamp to be placed on checks have created the most comment. The "man in the street" is generally very angry over both these increases.

In the house of commons the general debate followed party lines. Winston Churchill (Conservative) approved the proposals, but called serious attention to the enormous increase in expenditure, amounting to £40,000,000 in seven years, a sum which he said was out of proportion to the national enrichment. The house divided on the corn and flour duties resolution, which was adopted by a vote of 254 to 135.

### QUINTETTE OF GIRLS.

Woman Gives Birth to Five Children in Ulster County, N. Y.

Poughkeepsie, N. Y., April 15.—Isaiah Rhodes of Balleys Gap, Ulster county, announced in this city that his daughter

ter, Mrs. James McGowan, aged 27 of Tuckers Corner, a hamlet in Ulster county, gave birth to five children, all girls, and that all are doing well. Mrs. McGowan's other children are a son and a pair of twins.

### Expel Mormon Missionaries.

Berlin, April 15.—Two Mormon missionaries (Americans), Lorenzo Walker and Josef Zwahlen, have been expelled by the police from Insterburg, East Prussia, as objectionable characters. The Mormons now have upward of 100 missionaries in Germany.

### A SEARCHING INQUIRY.

Chicago Beef Trust to Be Secretly Investigated.

Chicago, April 15.—United States Attorney S. H. Betha, following instructions given by President Roosevelt and Attorney General Knox, will make a searching inquiry into the workings of the so-called beef trust in Chicago, in relation to the Sherman anti-trust law.

The investigation will be secret, and when finished a full report will be furnished to Washington for the use of the attorney general in deciding what course his department will take against the packers charged with being in the combination.

District Attorney Betha refused to discuss his plans or reveal the nature of his instructions, but it was learned he not only received written instructions by mail, but while in Washington last week was advised personally to begin the inquiry.

Particular attention will be paid to the charge that the territory in the various states has been parcelled out among the members of the so-called trust with the result of a sharp advance in all prices to retailers. An effort also will be made to secure proof of the existence of an agreement between the local packers to maintain a schedule of prices.

### STRIKE PROBABLY OVER.

Rochester and Pittsburg Coal Company Will Resume Business.

Dubois, Pa., April 15.—General Manager Robinson of the Rochester and Pittsburg Coal and Iron company met President Mitchell and the district officers of the United Mine Workers together with delegates from the different mines in this region at Punxsutawney, in a conference lasting five hours. As a result of the conference it is generally felt that within a few days the strike of the bituminous coal miners will be declared off. Neither President Mitchell, the district officers, delegates nor Mr. Robinson would give out the result of the conference further than that an agreement had been reached and that the conditions of the Indianapolis agreement are now thoroughly understood by all parties.

From a thoroughly reliable source it was learned that the situation was gone over carefully at the conference and that both sides made concessions. The Indianapolis agreement and the Altoona scale were taken together, compared, dissected and a new agreement drafted, which includes concessions from the Altoona scale by the miners. If this agreement is ratified by the miners in mass meetings the strike will at once be declared off.

### SUMMARY ACTION LIKELY.

Milwaukee School Teachers Arcused Over Small Salaries.

Milwaukee, April 15.—The Sentinel says: Summary action is to be taken by the representatives of 700 class teachers in the Milwaukee Teachers' association, more than half of whom are paid less than ward laborers and window washers about the public buildings, schoolhouses included, at a meeting Saturday morning. From expressions of members it would seem that something in the nature of a strike is not improbable.

There are 565 public school teachers who are receiving a smaller annual salary than the wage of the day laborer in Milwaukee, according to a report to be made by the committee on salaries which will be submitted, and it will show that the teachers of the city are the most poorly paid of any city in the United States. An appeal will be made for an increase in wages and the influence of the demand will be felt. Already the rumors of it have caused a stir in the school board, and Superintendent Siefert said he was investigating it. The outcome will be problematical.

### OFFERED TO MORGAN.

Louisville and Nashville Road May Be Transferred.

New York, April 15.—An important conference on Louisville and Nashville was held at the office of J. P. Morgan & Co. At that conference, it is learned on high authority, the control of the Louisville and Nashville was offered by John W. Gates and his associates to J. P. Morgan & Co., presumably for transfer to the Southern Railway company. Whether or not the negotiations were completed and the offer was accepted could not be definitely learned.

### Oskaloosa (Ia.) Votes to Expand.

Oskaloosa, Ia., April 15.—The special election resulted almost unanimously in favor of "Greater Oskaloosa," extending the limits of the city by acquiring nearly 1,000 acres beyond the bounds of the old city. This will add 2,500 people to the population of Oskaloosa, making a total of 12,900.

### Talbot Usury Cases Decided.

Sioux City, Ia., April 15.—The famous Talbot usury cases have been decided by the United States supreme court in favor of the First National and Sioux National banks of Sioux City. Over \$130,000 was involved. The suits have been in the courts for more than six years.

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### SAVAGE DUEL IN THE KITCHEN

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LEAGUE CLUB.

### WILL BE FATAL TO BOTH

Chef and Butcher Slash Furiously at

Each Other Until Both Fall From

Loss of Blood—Other Employees Fear

to Interfere—White Man Attempts

to Kill His Family in the Indian

Territory.

Chicago, April 15.—A savage duel with 18-inch butcher knives, which will probably be followed by two deaths took place in the kitchen of the Union League club. The principals were Emil Colton, butcher, and Jules Kuntz, chef. They cut and slashed furiously until both fell from loss of blood. Colton's left hand was almost cut off at the wrist and Kuntz received four wounds which severed eight arteries. His skull also being fractured.

The combat lasted fully 10 minutes and was witnessed by several other employees of the club, none of whom dared to interfere. The men were not separated until both fell to the floor, weak from the loss of blood and still trying to strike each other. Both were unconscious when they were removed from the kitchen.

Colton had been discharged from the club, and the trouble arose through his having accused Kuntz with being responsible for his dismissal.

### BRUTAL MURDER.

Father Kills One Child and Fatally Wounds Two Others.

Fort Smith, Ark., April 15.—A special to The Times from Saltisaw, I. T., says: One of the most brutal murders ever committed in the Indian Territory took place a few miles east of Stillwell. A white man named Dudley killed his 10-year-old daughter, fatally wounded two other children and seriously injured his wife. Dudley has been taken to Saltisaw to prevent his being lynched.

In jail Dudley confessed his crime. He said he had been talking to his family about his neighbors and fearing that they would repeat his statements and cause trouble he determined to kill all four. He said he attempted to kill them Thursday night, when he secured an axe and went first to the bed of his children. They were asleep and looked so innocent that his heart failed him. The next day, however, he carried out his desire, first braining his 10-year-old daughter with a plow point, then attacking his two other children and finally his wife. After committing the deed he went to the house of his father, where he was arrested. Excitement was intense and there came near being a lynching at Stillwell before the officers could get Dudley out of town. At Saltisaw when Dudley was told that only his oldest daughter was dead, he broke down and cried and said his only regret was that he had not dispatched all of the family. Mrs. Dudley will probably recover, but the two children cannot live.

### TWO CHILDREN MURDERED.

Mysterious Double Crime on the Outskirts of Des Moines.

Des Moines, April 15.—While returning from Highland Park Methodist church, on the north outskirts of the city, Hulda Peterson, 15 years of age, and John, aged 11, children of Peter J. Peterson, a well-to-do dairyman

were murdered by some unknown person, believed to be a negro. The boy when found alive at midnight was alive, but he died within 15 minutes, not being able to give a description of his assailant. The children each Sunday went to the Highland Park church, usually attending the evening service. In going they passed along what is known as the County road, which leads to the county hospital. The bodies were discovered by a farmer who overheard the moans of the lad. An examination revealed that both had their heads crushed in by what is believed to have been a brick. The entire police force is working on the case.

Several suspicious characters, white and colored, have been arrested by the police in connection with the double tragedy, but so far no positive clue has been obtained against any of them.

The most suspicious character is James Hutchins, a negro miner. There is the imprint of a hand in blood upon the back of his coat and there is blood and a great deal of dust upon his shoes, as though he might have been walking across a field of plowed ground. He tells a very rambling and contradictory story.

### Murder on a Battleship.

Washington, April 15.—It has just developed that murder was committed on the United States ship Cincinnati last week while the ship was lying at Charleston. James A. Paine, a blacksmith, struck with a pair of iron tongs and killed Agnes Williams, a water tender. The row occurred in the fire room last Tuesday. Paine will be tried by a naval courtmartial.

### Fatally Wounds His Wife.

St. Louis, April 15.—Anton Adler, 36 years of age, shot and fatally wounded his wife, Lizzie, six years his senior, while in a jealous frenzy. Adler was taken to the police station, where he said the shooting was due to his wife's unfaithfulness.

### Indian Burglar Fatally Shot.

Green Bay, Wis., April 15.—Wilson Skenadore, an Indian, was shot at the Okeada reservation while trying to enter the house of a neighbor. Some one shot from the inside, the ball entering the left breast. The wound is thought to be fatal.

### Suspect Murder and Robbery.

Sioux City, Ia., April 15.—Carl Preston, a farmer near Odebolt, was found dead in his home and murder and robbery is suspected.

### VERDICT OF \$500.

Result of a Million and a Half Suit Against the Great Northern.

St. Paul, April 15.—Herbert W. Pearson's long pending \$1,000,000 suit against the Great Northern railway has been decided by Judge Kelly, and the plaintiff gets only \$500.

The exact amount Pearson sued for was \$1,500,500. Of this amount \$500 was for back wages, which the court allowed, but the claim of the \$1,500,000 was found to be untrue.

In 1896 Pearson, who is a mining prospector, entered into a contract with the Great Northern railway to search for coal in the state of Montana. He was to receive for his services \$200 per month, and in addition was to receive pay according to his success. His success he rates at \$1,500,000.

In his affidavit he sets forth that through his successful efforts the company came into possession of 5,421 acres of coal land, worth, he estimates, \$14,778,000.

The defense contends that the mines referred to by the plaintiff do not exist, and the court was of the same opinion.

### Rev. Lowther Will Appeal.

McPherson, Kan., April 1.—Rev. Granville Lowther has decided to appeal from the verdict of the trial committee of 11 in the recent Methodist Episcopal conference at Arkansas City, which found him guilty of teaching heretical teachings and deposed him.



# THE DAILY DISPATCH.

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E. C. GRIFFITH, City Editor.

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TUESDAY, APRIL 15, 1902.

**Weather.**  
Generally fair tonight and tomorrow.

The public school teachers of Milwaukee threaten to strike, claiming they are underpaid.

REV. DEWILL TALLMAGE, the eminent divine, is dead. He was a great power for good in the world, and he will be greatly missed.

NEGOTIATIONS for peace in South Africa are now in progress, and the much-taxed Englishman ardently hopes they will be successful.

REPRESENTATIVE STEVENS, of St. Paul, made a strong speech in congress yesterday on the Cuban question from the insurgent stand point. It is well worth reading.

THE supreme court has recently rendered a decision sustaining Judge Ensign, of Duluth, who held that tax certificates given at the absolute tax sale are void unless all subsequent taxes, including the current tax, are paid.

At the instigation and direction of the president the gigantic beef trust will be dissolved, if such a thing is possible. If the trust is contrary to law the members will have to confront a grand jury on a criminal charge, it is reported.

FARGO residents are opposed to a ten mile extension of the street car system in that city the residents along the proposed line claiming the noise and racket would be a nuisance which they desire to avoid. This reminds the writer of a Wisconsin town where the people rejected the offer of a large manufacturing concern to erect a factory because the whistle would disturb their slumbers at 6 o'clock in the morning.

## LOCAL NEWS NOTES.

J. H. Koop is down from Backus on business.

E. H. Simmons came in from the east this noon.

W. W. Wolf, of Motley, is in the city on business.

Master Mechanic Bean has returned from Duluth.

J. H. Sprague, district deputy for the A. O. U. W., is in the city.

Mr. and Mrs. John Hayes, of Backus, are in the city on business.

E. A. Zuver, of Aitkin, is in the city today on his way to Little Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Vallentyne returned this morning from St. Paul.

Prof. Vath, of the Business College was a St. Cloud visitor yesterday.

C. H. Paine, A. L. Hoffman and Chas. Hoffman spent Sunday at Gull Lake.

Mrs. Julia McDonald went to Fargo this noon for a few days visit with friends.

Supt. and Mrs. G. D. Ball were passengers on the south bound train for the Twin cities this noon.

E. P. Wells, president and secretary of the Brainerd Lumber Co., is expected in the city today from Minneapolis.

Come see the Peak Sisters at the People's church, this evening. This is their last appearance in their farewell American tour.

The St. Cloud clerks are making an effort to have all grocery stores close at 7 o'clock, except Saturday, and will probably succeed.

Be sure to see the Peak Sisters of Alaska in their famous Entertainment, at the People's church tonight. Admission, 25-15c.

George McMahn, of St. Cloud, arrived in the city yesterday and left this morning for Garrison in the interest of the McCormick Co.

The Baptist Young People's Union will give an entertainment at Walker's Hall on Friday evening, April 25th. A fine programme will be rendered and elegant refreshments will be served. An admission fee of 25c will be charged. All are cordially invited to attend.

H. D. Treglawney went to Walker this afternoon on business.

Robt Wisely, of Larimore, is visiting in the city and may remain.

Judge Mantor went to Walker today to attend the term of court there.

Mr. Stewart, of the Pine Tree Lumber Co., went to Pine River today.

Jo Nelson, M. & I. operator, returned to Bemidji today after spending a holiday in Wisconsin.

F. O. Ferris, has returned from Cass county, where he reorganized three Sunday schools last week.

Miss Mayme Holden left last night for Beaulieu, Norman county, where she has accepted a position in the Indian school, as assistant seamstress.

Paine & McGinn are about to put in a stock of package and canned goods with their meat business, shelves for this purpose being just erected.

The quarterly meeting of the stockholders of the Scandinavian Co-operative Mercantile Society will be held at their hall in southeast Brainerd on Saturday evening, April 19th, at 8 p. m. All stockholders are requested to be present.

Ex-Commissioner Dave Archibald, of Bay Lake, was in the city today.

Evangelist Anderson arrived in the city this noon, but his wife will be delayed for two or three days on account of the illness of her mother. Mr. Anderson will conduct the revival meeting at the M. E. church tonight.

## Last of Fort Ripley Tribe.

Fort Ripley, Minn., Special, April 12.—Mag is dead. The Indian known as Maggie Casey, who has resided alone at home near the Nokaysee bridge for a number of years, died at 9 o'clock last night, after a brief illness, of pneumonia.

She was about seventy years of age. Industrious and respected by all, her wealth consisted of forty dollars in gold and eleven silver dollars, which she had placed in a tin can and put the can in a sack and buried it in the sand in the chicken house. It was found after a diligent search. She was the only Indian residing in this section of the country far and near. The funeral will take place tomorrow afternoon, and a large turnout is expected.

## The "Big 9."

R. F. Walters reports his new store front nearing completion, his store thoroughly renovated, the objectionable features removed and new features added including a shining stand where ladies as well as gentlemen can have their shoes shined. Mr. Wastrom, formerly with the St. Cloud Shoe Co., will take good care of the Scandinavian trade. Axel, the shoe maker, will act as surgeon. When your old shoes have passed through his hands and received the finishing touches by the professor of the chair of shineology, you will not be ashamed to wear them on any occasion. The charges—Oh they'll be moderate. Try us and see. His shelves are filled with the best shoes that a thorough knowledge of the business and long experience in buying can produce. This, with his guarantee that the prices will be the very lowest, ought to be strong inducements for you to buy your shoes at the "Big 9." Try him and see if he can't make it profitable for you to buy your shoes there. His location is 208 South 6th street.

"To remain young you must move about. You must see new faces, new surroundings and rub up against new people," remarked a gentleman comfortably seated in the library buffet smoking car on the splendid Pioneer Limited on the Milwaukee road, Chicago to St. Paul, the other night. "Once you begin to realize that you're in a rut, that your habits are so set as to make it a matter of difficulty to change, depend upon it you are but one remove from the beginning of 'growing old,' and the sooner you 'head it off' the better. I make a point as often as my business will allow me to run up into the Northwest for a few days, get a whiff of the bracing air and a change of scene and return home feeling a year younger. Since the Milwaukee road, always noted for its superb service, put on the Pioneer Limited, my trips have been unusually delightful."

Fine line of carpets. Hoffman.

The Northern Pacific track around McKenzie where there was so much trouble with high water, has been repaired and trains are running on time again.

# STORIES OF THE STRIKE

Incidents of Boston's Recent Labor Difficulty.

## HOW A WOMAN DROVE A TRUCK.

What Happened to One of the Brine Company's Teamsters—Mayor Patrick Collins' Way of Winning a Case in Court.

The teamsters' strike in Boston not only tied up New England's manufacturing industries, but for a time afforded queer sights to the Hub. There was an unusual scene, says the Boston Globe, at Battery wharf when a wagon drove into the yard on the swinging seat of which was a woman. She had come from the Chelsea ferry and naturally attracted much attention as she drove through Commercial street.

The woman was Mrs. Annie Allyn, who does the teaming for a manufacturing establishment in Chelsea. She paid no attention to the crowd that followed and drove well.

She said that her wagon had left Chelsea in charge of a young man who got frightened before reaching the ferry and abandoned it. She found another to take his place, but his courage was not equal to a drive through Boston streets, which he seemed to think were filled with strikers, and he, too, abandoned the wagon.

Then Mrs. Allyn mounted the truck and took the reins. She drove straight to the Merchants and Miners' Transportation company's sheds, on Battery wharf, where the freight handlers took off the freight which is handled by the drivers in ordinary cases. She then sent word up town, and while she was waiting for the waybills a young clerk wearing a long raglan and tan gloves came down to take charge of the wagon for her. He attracted much attention as he drove up Hanover street with a barrel of oil and several cans on the truck.

Mrs. Allyn instructed him where the goods were going and asked him to bring the wagon back to the Chelsea ferry, where she again took charge of it.

Another incident of the strike had an amusing sequel in one of Boston's police courts. William Ashby, a teamster employed by the Brine company, was charged by John J. Moran, a union man employed by Johnson & Co., with assault and battery.

As Moran told the story, he was taking goods up an elevator in an alley which leads off Summer street, in the rear of the Hathaway building, and had got nearly through when Ashby came along with his wagon. Ashby wanted to share the freight elevator, but Moran would not consent to it. The result was, according to Moran, Ashby losing his temper and inviting him to fight. Moran wasn't to be dared and took off his coats. His claim in getting the warrant for Ashby's arrest was that he was assaulted.

"You say you took off your coats, laid them on the wagons and went up the alley?" Judge Adams asked.

"Yes," Moran answered.

"What for?"

"Why, for business—that is, he wanted to fight, and I was going to defend myself."

"Well, how did it come out? Did he lick you, or who got the best of it?"

"Why, er—he assaulted me—"

"But how could he assault you if you had taken your coats off and engaged in a fistie encounter?"

"He got me down, jumped on me, kicked me and then struck my arm with a bootjack. My arm is lame now."

"Then he licked you?"

"No, he didn't and couldn't. If I hadn't slipped, I wouldn't have got the worst of it."

Counsel for the prisoner then asked a series of questions:

"After he let you up you threw ice at him, didn't you?"

"I did."

"And chased him with an iron pipe?"

"But that was after he used a bootjack, after he had used me unfairly."

"You would have hit him with the pipe, wouldn't you?"

"Yes; I'd have stuck a knife into him if I had had one!"

Judge Adams instructed the clerk to discharge the prisoner without further examination.

One of the distant effects of the strike was felt in New York, where the managers of the rose show received the following mysterious telegram:

"Impossible to ship Helen Gould. Teamsters on strike." The managers dispelled the mystery, however, by explaining that the "Helen Gould" referred to was a deep red rose of the complexion and much the same figure as the American Beauty.

This "Helen Gould" is a distinguished stranger whose birthplace is Natick, a fashionable Boston suburb, and New York's rose show was to have been her debut in out of town society. Several hundred of her was expected, but because of the teamsters' strike, which had literally tied up the Hub, she could not be shipped.

Mayor Patrick A. Collins of Boston, who has been much in evidence because of the strike, will be remembered as the man who served as consul general to London during Mr. Cleveland's first administration. Previous to that he practiced law and served as congressman.

According to The Saturday Evening Post, Mayor Collins has often said that in the law he has found that there has been hardly an incident of his early days but has proved of service to him in his profession. An instance of this occurred not so very long ago and is still fresh in many minds. He was appearing before a high court in a case in which a large amount of upholstery was in question.

# Neighborhood Gossip.

Winona has a new creamery.

The Rochester court house will be remodeled.

The United States court is still in session at Fergus Falls.

George Dickenson's meat market at Pine Island was burned.

John Russell, a laborer, was killed by a train near Grand Forks.

August Schubert, a county prisoner, committed suicide at Glenwood.

Charles Peterson, a prominent farmer of Henning was killed in a runaway.

P. A. Honeycutte was badly injured in a cave-in at Fergus Falls.

W. H. Best, of Fargo College, won first place in the state oratorical contest.

There is a movement on foot at Fargo to organize a permanent oratoria society.

A new telephone line is being constructed from New Paynesville to Lake Koronis.

The twenty-fifth annual meeting of the Minnesota branch of the Woman's Board of Missions of the Interior will be held at Little Falls in the near future.

A. C. Edwards, of Maza N. D., was brought back to Fargo from Montana and will have to answer to the charge of embezzling \$1200 from the government. He was postmaster at Maza.

A man beat the Chambers restaurant at Grand Rapids out of a board bill, and the man was thought to have been caught at Cass Lake, but upon his return to the former place by the sheriff it was found that he was the wrong fellow and he was released.

## PINGPONG IN WALL STREET

New Game Captures Brokers. Who Play It For High Stakes.

Pingpong has invaded Wall street, says the New York Evening Journal. Some of the brokers have gone almost crazy over the game. Matches for high stakes are often played. In "Skipper" Ames' office in New York, as soon as the day's business is over, the customers' room, overlooking the bay, is stripped of its chairs, the pingpong table is put in place, and the game begins.

Young Mr. De Mauriac, son of the well known broker, is regarded as the champion player, but Charles Schumacher, Jr., is a rival who has many backers. Large sums of money change hands whenever they meet. There is talk of matching them in a game at \$1,000 a side.

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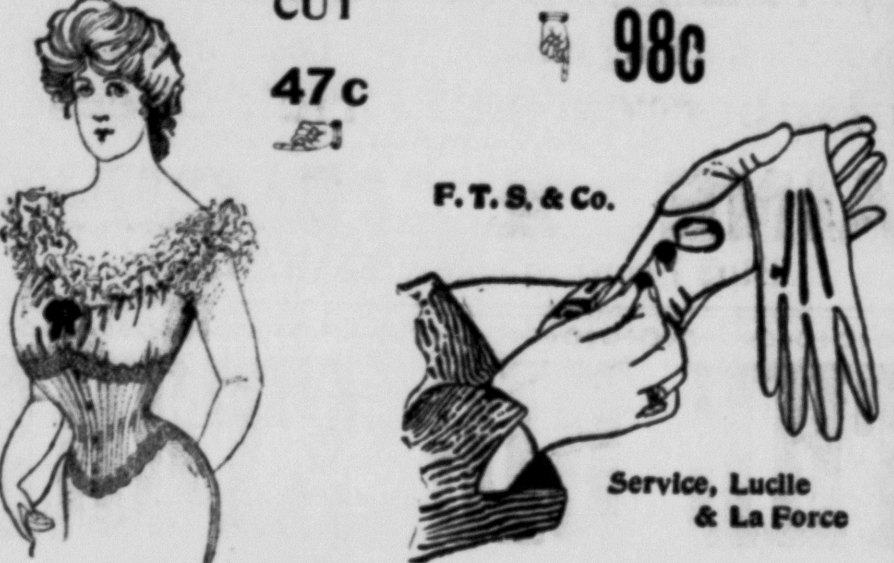
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**POUT FISHING**  
**IS NOW LEGAL**  
The Angler Can go out After His Finny Nibs Without Molestation.  
**STREAMS AT NORMAL STAGE.**  
Prospects that Better Conditions Will Prevail this Year Than Last.

Commencing last night at midnight anglers could lawfully go out and catch trout without danger of being nabbed by some unsuspected game warden. In other words the season opens today.  
Trout fishing last year was not of the best. This was on account of the amount of high water in the streams.  
This season the same conditions do not hold true. The fall of snow last winter was light, and the rains that will come will affect the streams for but a short time. They are now at their natural level, and it is expected that they will remain in that condition, making them ideal for successful fishing.  
However, few anglers are as yet preparing to seek out the woods and streams. The reason is, that the weather is yet cold. Many of the streams where the woods are dense, are still lined with snow banks whose foundations were laid last December, and this fact robs the sport of much of its pleasure. Notwithstanding, fishing tackle is being made ready, and it will be but a matter of a few days before the fish story is again abroad in the land.  
It is an injustice to pass our \$10 suits. Mark's Shoe and Clothing House, 6th street south, opposite the post-office. 64-1w.

**KIEBLER FARM SOLD.**  
C. W. Eastman Buys a Farm South of the City For Dairy Purposes.

This morning a deal was closed whereby the Joseph Kiebler farm passes into the possession of C. W. Eastman, who recently moved to this city from Fergus Falls.  
Mr. Eastman feels particularly fortunate in securing this land as it is just what he wants for dairy purposes. He has completed a large barn on the Batchelder property which he bought on Sixth St. north and in a few days he will start in selling milk.  
Half the ills that man is heir to come from indigestion. Burdock Blood Bitters strengthens and tones the stomach; makes indigestion impossible.  
**A Muc.**  
Talk about Niagara, but don't forget you can spend a profitable hour at the dam of the Mississippi at home here. You can there see a rush of mad, foaming water and logs performing gymnastic tricks, and be remembered of the good old toboggan slide. Watch the continual whirl of the logs in the eddy and you will then think of the old fashioned horse-power machine. Logs, why you can see more logs there in one minute than you can see at Niagara in a year.  
In every direction there are trees, green winter and summer. Splendid high banks to the river and so accessible you can go and partake of enough sand to do you a lifetime should your vim be now lacking.  
When leaving for home take a parting look at the old and the new bridges and five thanks the former was condemned.

Nettleton makes real estate loans and helps people to own homes and save their rent money.  
A complete and accurate map of the "Eleven Towns" of the Red Lake Indian Reservation, which will be opened for settlement this summer, will be mailed to any address, postpaid, upon the receipt of 50 cents. Northern R. & M. Co., D. Shaw, Manager, Thief River Falls, Minn.  
D. M. Clark & Co., largest installment house in city. Goods sold on easy terms.  
For fire insurance see T. C. Biewitt

**CLOSED DOWN FOR TIME.**  
The Brainerd Lumber Company Mills Will Run Nights Again after Tomorrow.  
It was necessary for the Brainerd Lumber Company to close down its mills for a few nights on account of the heavy frost hindering in the getting in of the logs.  
The logs have begun to move, however, and they expect to run nights again commencing tomorrow night.

**ELKS OFF FOR LITTLE FALLS.**  
A Large Delegation Goes Down to Assist in the Installation of an Elk Lodge.

This afternoon No. 6 carried about as jolly a crowd of Elks as ever left the city at one time. Two coaches were provided for the Brainerd delegation to Little Falls to assist in the institution of a lodge in that city and they were quite comfortably filled.  
This morning Messrs. Ingersoll, Halsted, Georgeson and Abbott went down on the early train to make the preliminary arrangements. It was thought that there will be fully five hundred Elks in Little Falls today from different parts of the country. The city is in gala attire.  
The local Elks will return on a special tonight when the work is completed.  
**MYERS, MY TAILOR.**  
can make the finest suits for gentlemen and ladies at the following prices: Men's a No. 1 suits from \$18 up. Ladies' a No. 1 tailor made suits from \$18 up, and with your cloth for ladies' suits \$8 up. We guarantee fit and workmanship. Cleaning, pressing and repairing at half price. 420 Front street.  
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**The Early Bird Etc. Etc.**  
Its the person with keen foresight and quick intellect that wins out. I am building several new houses, and they are being picked up by shrewd and thrifty people who appreciate the comforts and advantages of a new, pleasant up-to-date home, secured on easy payments. There is a limit to the number I can furnish, and consequently it's simply "first come first served." Call and inspect plans if interested. Come evenings if more convenient  
P. B. NETTLETON, Palace Hotel.

**DIED AT THE SANITARIUM.**  
Henry Minette, a Motley Citizen. Passes Away This Morning of Inflammation of the Bowels.  
Early this morning Henry Minette, a saloon keeper of Motley, died at the Sanitarium in this city where he had been brought for treatment, of inflammation of the bowels, aged 52 years. He was a man of family leaving a wife and six children to mourn his loss. He formerly resided at Staples where his remains were shipped for burial. The funeral services will occur tomorrow morning.

**Money Loaned-Houses Bought and Sold**  
On easiest terms ever known. Nettleton, at Palace Hotel.

**The Revivals.**  
The revival meetings at the First M. E. church will be the center of interest for the next two or three weeks and it is predicted that there will be a great good done.  
Mr. and Mrs. V. Anderson who will assist the pastor, came to Brainerd with the highest recommendations. The services are now in progress, and brother and sister Anderson will be here to take the work in this evening. The pastor and his wife cordially invite every body to attend these services, that promise to be of much interest.  
The following is a testimonial: "A gracious revival has just closed at Aitkin. Thirty members have been added to the church with more to follow. The church was greatly blessed and by far the best revival in its history. The pastor was ably assisted by Evangelist V. Anderson and wife, whom we heartily commend to all who may need such service."  
E. K. COPPER, Pastor, M. E. church Aitkin, Minn.  
STOLEN—Yale wheel from J. C. Congdon's store. Little over 70 gear, cushion frame black with new style bell. AUGUST COOK.

**GAINED FRESH LAURELS.**  
Col. Freeman Thorp, of Hubert, Returns from Washington, D. C.  
It is with pleasure that we announce the recent achievements in Washington of a citizen of this county, Freeman Thorp, of Hubert. Before Col. Thorp came to this state and county he had a world wide reputation as a portrait painter and improved health has enabled him to resume his professional work. In the capital city recently he has painted very successful portraits of a number of the most prominent men of the country, among them Secretary Wilson, for the historical collection of the department of agriculture, former Sec. of State Robert Smith for the historical collection or gallery of the state department, former Associate Justice Nelson, of the supreme court, for the historical gallery of the supreme court, and has a letter from Chief Justice Fuller saying that the court considers it an excellent likeness and a meritorious work of art. The great significance of Col. Thorp's success just at this time lies in the fact that at the very time he was given these very important commissions Washington was unusually full of the great artists of this country and Europe, Chart-rain, the great French portrait painter to whom the French ambassador gave all the eclat possible, the great court painter of Russia and many leading portrait painters of America being there. His success amid such environments is a credit to our county and state as well as to himself.  
Nice, neat, well built, good and warm new houses now for sale. Lots will be bought and houses built to your order on easiest terms known. P. B. NETTLETON, at Palace Hotel.  
For Baby Carriages and Go-carts see D. M. Clark & Co.  
Your rent money buys a home, see Nettleton.  
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**Religious Discourses.**  
Tomorrow eve., April 16, at 8 o'clock at Bakkala's Hall, Southeast Brainerd Rev. C. F. Edwards, pastor of the First Swedish M. E. church, West Superior, will give his first talk in a series of interesting discourses on

**REV. C. F. EDWARDS**  
religious subjects. Rev. Edwards will speak at said place every evening this week and also during a part of next week. Rev. Edwards is one of the foremost Swedish speakers of the northwest. All Scandinavians should take the opportunity to hear him. Good singing and music will be furnished each evening.  
For Bargains in clothing go to Moberg's store.  
Our hats will improve the looks of the handsomest man in town as well as the homeliest. Mark's Shoe and Clothing House, 6th street, opposite post-office. 64-1w  
Store your Stoves and Household goods with D. M. Clark & Co.  
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**MUSIC AND DRAMA.**  
"THE ELEVENTH HOUR"  
The continuity of success of Lincoln J. Carter is one of the interesting studies of the stage. This prolific playwright scores on an average of two successes a season, and this season bids fair to break his own record. "The 11th Hour" is certainly a success, judged both from the standard of the box office and from the standard of the Carter productions. The attendance and enthusiasm shown in the rendition of the play shows that the average playgoer hankers after melodrama. There are numerous arguments as to whether vaudeville is doomed. If dramatized novels are not a fad, and if there will be a recurrence of tragedy within five years, uninterrupted, melodrama pursues its course and like the inevitable brook seems to go on forever.  
"The 11th Hour" is a clean, wholesome play, and the presenting company is one of the best and includes Chas. A. (Carl) Gardner, the German dialect comedian and singer.  
During the action of the play, Mr. Gardner will sing "The Lilacs" and "Apple Blossoms."  
At the Brainerd Opera House Saturday, April 19th.  
"THE PASSION PLAY"  
The "Passion Play," the great religious drama covering the life of Christ as produced by the peasants of Oberammergau, will be presented at St. Francis church this evening at 8 o'clock, through the medium of the cinematograph, or moving picture machine, which makes it possible for everyone to witness a remarkably accurate reproduction of this great event which until recently, could only be seen by crossing the ocean. There are about 100 pictures shown and every movement of the hundreds of people who take part in the performance is faithfully reproduced. The presentation throughout is very impressive and is indorsed by both press and clergy for the vividness with which it pictures scriptural history. Prof. Walter Kilrain's interesting explanation and well rendered baritone solos make the presentation unusually interesting as he is both an excellent singer and speaker. Admission, adults 25 cents, children 15 cents.  
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MC EWEN THE GREAT.  
Prof. McEwen, the wonderful hypnotist, delighted a large audience at the Brainerd Opera House last night and it is seldom that such laughter has been heard in this city. His performance was not by any means a fun-provoking one entirely, but there was enough of the instructive as well as of the entertaining qualities, interspersed with some excellent music to make it an evening of solid enjoyment. McEwen has been recognized everywhere as one of the most pleasing entertainers and to those who care to learn more of this great science in his research one of the most convincing proofs that Mr. McEwen is up in his business, is the short talk which precedes the hypnotic demonstrations each evening.  
Last night the professor treated the audience to something in addition to the demonstrations and other features of the entertainment. He gave a series of magic or slight of hand tricks, not as he said to pose as a great magician, but to show some of the tricks of the trade. He made a decided hit in this. He had an exceptionally good class to demonstrate his work in hypnotism and for an hour and a half he kept the audience in an uproar of laughter.  
Prof. Smith, the cornet soloist, captivated his audience with the rendition of several selections which were greatly appreciated. His playing is out of the ordinary and seldom has a Brainerd audience been treated to such music on the cornet.  
Tonight the performance will open with magic, followed by the awakening of the sleeper, now in D. M. Clark's window, cornet solo by Mr. E. N. Smith, the performance closing with the regular hypnotic entertainment. Undoubtedly the house will be packed to the doors tonight as it should be.  
Our spring hats at \$1, \$1.50, \$2, \$2.50 and \$3 are coin coaters. Mark's Shoe and Clothing House, 6th street opposite the post-office.  
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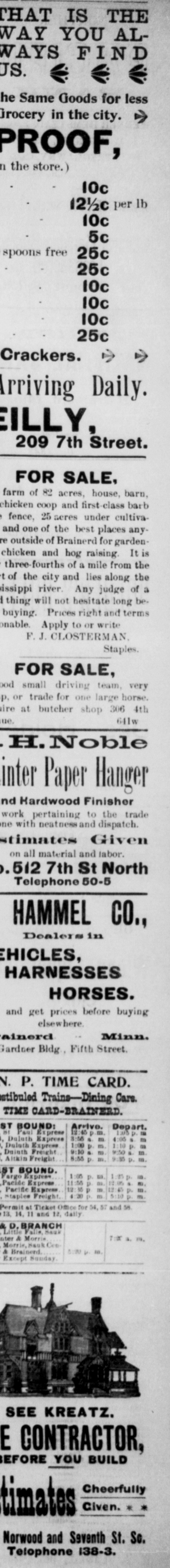
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Sold for 50 cents a box, at the McFadden Drug Co., H. P. Dunn & Co., and all druggists. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y., sole agents for the U. S.  
Remember the name, Doan's, and take no substitute.  
**Special June Term.**  
Judge McClenahan will hold a special term of court in Brainerd, beginning June 2, 1902, at 9 o'clock a. m., for the issuance of citizens' papers. Those who take out their second papers at this time will be enabled to vote at the fall elections.  
See our display windows and note the exclusive patterns represented in trousers. Mark's Shoe and Clothing House, 6th street, opp. post-office.  
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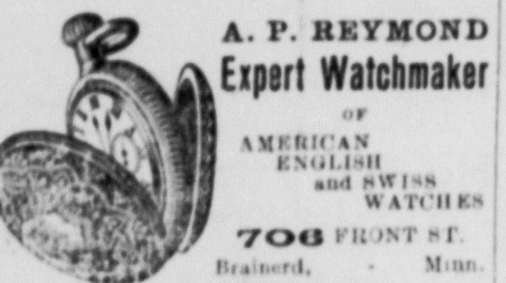
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**A SERIOUS SITUATION**

MINING AND INDUSTRIAL RE-  
GIONS OF BELGIUM TIED  
UP BY STRIKE.

**ALL QUIET AT BRUSSELS**

Several Meetings Held in the Suburbs  
and Socialist Leaders Make Violent  
Speeches—Government Will Be In-  
terpellated on the Brutality of the  
Brussels Police—No Plot Against  
King Leopold Exists.

Brussels, April 15.—The day passed  
here in perfect tranquility. Several  
meetings were held in the suburbs  
during the evening. M. Van der Velde  
and other Socialist leaders made vi-  
olent speeches, but order was main-  
tained. This fact was mainly due to  
the conspicuous absence of the police,  
especially the gendarmes, whose ex-  
cess of zeal has been the chief cause  
of collisions during the past few days.

The civic guard formed in cordons  
around the Maison du Peuple and their  
sensible attitude kept the crowd in  
good humor.  
Dispatches received here from the  
mining and industrial regions indi-  
cate the existence of a serious situa-  
tion with regard to the strike. This  
has even extended to the textile work-  
ers at Ghent. Except from Huy, no re-  
ports of grave disturbances have  
been received. At Huy the striking  
quarrymen had an encounter with the  
gendarmes in which several men on  
both sides were injured. One gen-  
darne was fatally wounded and an-  
other escaped by swimming the river.

The Socialists announced that they  
would interpellate the government on  
the brutality of the police of Brussels.  
A feeling prevails here that the gov-  
ernment may make a decisive declara-  
tion on the subject of revision.

No credence is given here to the re-  
port of a plot against King Leopold  
at Biarritz. His majesty returned  
from Biarritz to Brussels because his  
presence was needed there and be-  
cause public opinion, in view of the po-  
litical situation on the resumption of  
parliament, expected him to return.

**SERIOUS BLOW FOR CASTRO.**

Venezuelan General and His Men Join  
the Insurgents.

Willemstad, Island of Curacao, April  
15.—According to a dispatch received  
here, General Montenegro, president of  
the state of Cojedes, has turned  
against President Castro. Together  
with 800 men he left San Carlos, the  
capital of Cojedes, last Saturday morn-  
ing and joined a force of 450 revolu-  
tionists under Luciano Mendoza.

These revolutionists purpose march-  
ing toward Valencia, the capital of the  
state of Carabobo, which is only three  
days distant from San Carlos. The  
defection of General Montenegro is  
believed to be a serious blow to Pres-  
ident Castro and it is said here that  
several other government generals  
will follow Montenegro's example.

**LIBERALS SUFFER DEFEAT.**

Colombian Government Troops Win  
Three Engagements.

Colon, Colombia, April 15.—Accord-  
ing to the latest news received here,  
the interior of Colombia has been  
comparatively quiet since the defeat  
at Soacha, Feb. 23, of the Liberal gen-  
eral, McAlister, and his force by  
2,000 government troops under the  
command of General Gonzales Valen-  
cia. In this engagement 400 men were  
killed, the government took 345 rebel  
prisoners and captured 800 rifles.

**DENY THE DEMAND.**

New York Foundrymen Vote to Refuse  
a Nine-Hour Day.

New York, April 15.—The New York  
district of the National Foundrymen's  
association held a special meeting to  
take action on the 9-hour work day  
demand which was made some time  
ago. The meeting was attended by  
representatives of about 30 associa-  
tions and three non-association firms.  
By a unanimous vote it was decided to  
refuse the demand made by the core-  
makers, iron clippers and foundry la-  
borers union. In all about 6,000 peo-  
ple are affected by the refusal. The  
non-association members decided to  
join the association. The New York  
district covers a territory within a ra-  
dius of 25 miles from Manhattan city  
hall.

**Brooklyn Plumbers Strike.**

New York, April 15.—A general  
strike of the journeymen plumbers in  
Brooklyn has gone into effect  
all over that borough to enforce  
a demand for an increase of wages,  
the 8-hour work day and the Saturday  
half holiday. The union has a mem-  
bership of about 1,000. This is the  
first general strike of Brooklyn plum-  
bers in 19 years.

**Shot Wife and Himself.**

Kansas City, April 15.—James Ros-  
sa, an Italian bartender, shot his wife  
at their home here and then com-  
mitted suicide, firing a bullet through his  
head. The woman may recover.

**COMMERCIAL EXPANSION.**

Senator Foraker Maintains Chinese  
Exclusion Act Will Injure It.

Pittsburg, April 15.—The Chinese  
exclusion bill occupied the attention  
of the senate throughout the day. Sen-  
ators Foraker (O.) and McLaughlin (S.  
C.) making extended speeches in op-  
position. Mr. Foraker contended that  
the pending measure was violative of  
our treaty with China and was calcu-  
lated to prevent commercial expansion  
in the far East. While strongly sup-  
porting the policy of the government  
to exclude Chinese labor, the Ohio  
senator maintained that this could best  
be accomplished by an extension of  
the present law, holding that the drastic  
provisions of the pending bill would  
cut off our cotton trade with China  
and thus wreck the cotton industry of  
the South.

Mr. Teller briefly replied to Mr. For-  
aker, urging that the right to abrogate  
treaties was fully recognized.

Mr. Lodge (Mass.) gave notice of an  
amendment striking out the much dis-  
cussed clause prohibiting the employ-  
ment of Chinese on American ships.

**A HARMONY MEETING.**

New York Democratic Club Commem-  
orates Jefferson's Birthday.

New York, April 15.—The members  
of the Democratic club commemorated  
the birthday of Thomas Jefferson  
with a reception at the clubhouse. It  
was looked upon among the Democrats  
of the city and state as a harmony  
meeting. David B. Hill, who had not  
visited the club for a number of years,  
was the chief orator of the evening  
and in his speech he called upon Dem-  
ocrats to unite in harmony. Perry  
Belmont, whose differences with Mr.  
Bryan and Mr. Croker have kept him  
away from the club for three years  
was also there. Lewis Nixon, the  
new leader of Tammany Hall, intro-  
duced Mr. Hill. Hill's speech was in-  
terrupted by frequent bursts of ap-  
plause. At its conclusion Congress-  
man James M. Griggs of Georgia,  
chairman of the congressional commit-  
tee, spoke advocating unity and pre-  
dicting success for the party if inter-  
nal differences were forgotten.

**INTEREST WANING.**

Cuban Reciprocity Under Discussion  
in the House.

Washington, April 15.—Interest in  
the Cuban reciprocity debate in the  
house seems to be waning, judging by  
the attendance on the floor, but the  
earnestness of the speeches on both  
sides of the question increase rather  
than decrease in intensity. That the  
Republican opponents of the bill are  
determined to prolong the struggle as  
much as possible was made manifest  
by their refusal to allow speeches to  
be printed in the record. The speak-  
ers were Messrs. McCall (Mass.) and  
Brantley (Ga.) for the measure and  
Messrs. Robertson (Ia.) and Stevens  
(Minn.) against it. Mr. Robertson  
(Ind.) opposed Cuban annexation on  
the ground that it would threaten the  
welfare of the American wage earner.

**AGAINST THE MERGER.**

Attorney General of Washington Be-  
fore the Supreme Court.

Washington, April 15.—The United  
States supreme court heard arguments  
in the case of the State of Washington  
versus the Northern Securities com-  
pany and the Northern Pacific and  
Great Northern railways involving the  
merger of the two roads. Attorney  
General Stratton appeared for the  
state and made the opening argument,  
contending that this court is the only  
one that can properly hear the case  
and that if it refuses to hear it there  
is no tribunal to which the state can  
apply for the redress of a wrong. He  
was frequently interrupted by mem-  
bers of the court. Justice White asked  
why the state could not pass a law of  
its own to cover the case and Mr.  
Stratton replied that he thought the  
state had that right, but that it also  
is entitled to an independent proceeding  
for injunction.

**INAUGURATION CHANGE.**

House Judiciary Sub-Committee Can-  
not Reach an Agreement.

Washington, April 15.—A sub-com-  
mittee, consisting of Representatives  
Littlefield of Maine, Thomas of Iowa  
and Clayton of Alabama, has decided  
to report back to the full committee  
without recommendation the proposi-  
tion to change the date of the inau-  
guration of the president from March 4  
to the last Thursday in April. This  
decision was reached after hearing  
fully the arguments of those who have  
been urging the change. Differences  
of opinion among the members of the  
sub-committee developed during the  
discussion of the proposition and the  
decision to report it back to the full  
committee without recommendation  
will leave it in the same position it  
occupied before reference to the sub-  
committee was made.

**MULE SHIPMENT INQUIRY.**

Colonel Crowder Has About Completed  
His Investigation.

New Orleans, April 15.—Colonel  
Crowder, the government representa-  
tive, has about completed his investi-  
gation of the British mule transport  
service and the opinion prevails that  
he will report that there is no evidence  
of a nature to warrant government in-  
terference.

**Jumped in Front of a Train.**

Chicago, April 15.—Julius Branden-  
burg of Dubuque, Ia., and a companion,  
supposed to be Charles Thomas, an em-  
ployee of the Chicago, Milwaukee and  
St. Paul railway, jumped from an out-  
going St. Paul train at North avenue,  
directly in front of another train.  
Thomas was killed outright and Bran-  
denburg so severely injured that it is  
believed that he will die. In the dead  
man's pocket was found a pass on the  
Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul  
road and a check for \$50.

**Pardoned by Roosevelt.**

Washington, April 15.—President  
Roosevelt has granted a pardon to  
Alfred Plant, who is serving a four  
years' sentence in Hong Kong, China,  
for robbing a Chinese pawnshop while  
serving as a soldier in China.

**CONFESSES THE CRIME.**

Young Man Under Arrest for a Murder  
Committed Last May.

Pittsburg, April 15.—William J. Bey-  
ers, a young man of prepossessing ap-  
pearance and manner, was arrested  
at his home in East Pittsburg for the  
murder of August Layton near Turtle  
Creek last spring. Beyers was trapped  
through the agency of a letter written  
to a young woman telling of his crime,  
and she in turn was responsible for his  
arrest by telling the story to de-  
tectives. Beyers confessed to having  
shot Layton five times, and after a talk  
with the prisoner, Superintendent of  
Police McAleese concluded that the  
killing was the result of a conspiracy  
and ordered the arrest of Layton's  
widow, who is now the wife of Frank  
Williams of East Pittsburg. Beyers at  
one time boarded at the Layton house  
in Turtle Creek and is said to have  
been infatuated with Mrs. Layton. His  
story, as told to the police authorities,  
clearly implicates the woman in the  
murder. The murder of Layton last  
May was one of unsolvable mystery  
to the officers, and had been practi-  
cally dropped until the story was told  
by the Culp woman.

**PACIFIC CABLE PROJECT.**

Great Interest in the Proposition  
Shown at Honolulu.

Honolulu, April 8.—The Honolulu  
chamber of commerce and Merchants'  
association have each held meetings  
to discuss the Pacific cable proposi-  
tion and the matter of securing fed-  
eral aid in paying the heavy China-  
town fire claims, amounting to more  
than \$2,000,000. The association de-  
cided to send a delegate to Washing-  
ton to present their views and have  
decided upon J. G. Pratt, a member of  
the court of Chinatown fire commis-  
sioners, who will leave at once. The  
cable proposition is one that really  
interests all here and there is much  
anxiety to see work started on the  
project. The chamber of commerce  
wants the first landing to be made on  
the island of Hawaii and the line con-  
tinued through Maui and Molokai to  
Honolulu. This would form interis-  
land connections, which the wireless  
system has so far failed to accomplish.  
Delegate Pratt will present this propo-  
sition to the congress.

**INSPECTION OF MINES.**

United States Supreme Court Holds  
Illinois Law Valid.

Washington, April 15.—In the United  
States supreme court Justice Brown  
announced an opinion in the case of  
the Consolidated Coal company vs. the  
People of Illinois, involving the con-  
stitutionality of the Illinois law pro-  
viding for the inspection of mines.  
The law was attacked on the ground  
that it was discriminatory in that it  
requires an inspection only of mines  
employing more than five miners, and  
that it gives discretion to the inspec-  
tors to determine how many times in  
a year a mine shall be inspected and  
also what fees shall be charged for  
making the inspection. The court did  
not, however, sustain the decision of  
the supreme court of Illinois.

**Chinese Troops Join Rebels.**

Tien Tsin, April 15.—It is reported  
here that 1,000 of General Ma's troops,  
who were taking part in the Chao-  
Yang expedition, have deserted and  
joined the rebels in Southern China,  
taking with them their arms, munitions  
and treasury.

**TELEGRAPHIC BREVITIES.**

Edwin Knowles, a well known the-  
atrical manager, died of paralysis in  
Brooklyn.

Frank Shaw, colored, was hanged  
at Lumberton, N. C., for the murder of  
his sweetheart, Mary Ferguson, last  
November.

A general strike has been ordered  
in all branches of the building trades  
in Hayonne, N. J. Fifteen hundred  
men are affected.

Zenas W. Bliss, one of the founders  
of the prohibition free park movement  
of Chicago and New York, died in El  
Paso, Tex., of asthma.

**MARKET QUOTATIONS.**

Minneapolis Wheat.  
Minneapolis, April 14.—Wheat—  
May, 71½c; July, 72½c to 73½c. On  
Track—No. 1 hard, 74½c; No. 1 North-  
ern, 72½c to 73½c; No. 2 Northern, 70½  
to 71½c.

Sioux City Live Stock.  
Sioux City, Ia., April 14.—Cattle—  
Beefers, \$4.50 to \$5.85; cows, bulls and  
mixed, \$2.50 to \$5.25; stockers and feed-  
ers, \$3.00 to \$4.50; yearlings and calves,  
\$2.50 to \$4.25. Hogs—\$6.70 to \$7.00.

Duluth Grain.  
Duluth, April 14.—Wheat—Cash No.  
1 hard, 75½c; No. 1 Northern, 72½c;  
No. 2 Northern, 69½c; No. 3 spring,  
67½c. To Arrive—No. 1 hard, 75½c;  
No. 1 Northern and May, 72½c; July,  
72½c. Flax—Cash, \$1.74½.

**St. Paul Union Stock Yards.**

St. Paul, April 14.—Cattle—Choice  
butcher steers, \$5.25 to \$6.50; choice  
butcher cows and heifers, \$5.00 to \$5.50;  
good to choice veals, \$4.50 to \$5.25.  
Hogs—\$6.65 to \$7.00. Sheep—Good to  
choice, \$4.50 to \$5.25; lambs, \$5.00 to \$6.40.

**Chicago Union Stock Yards.**

Chicago, April 14.—Cattle—Good to  
prime steers, \$6.70 to \$7.40; poor to me-  
dium, \$4.50 to \$6.70; stockers and feed-  
ers, \$2.50 to \$6.00; Texas steers, \$5.25 to \$6.25.  
Hogs—Mixed and butchers, \$6.80 to  
7.25; good to choice heavy, \$7.10 to  
7.30; rough heavy, \$6.85 to \$7.10; light,  
\$6.80 to \$6.95; bulk of sales, \$6.95 to \$7.20.  
Sheep—Good to choice, \$5.25 to \$6.20;  
lambs, \$4.75 to \$6.85.

**Chicago Grain and Provisions.**

Chicago, April 14.—Wheat—April,  
72c; May, 72½c; July, 73½c; Sept.,  
72½c; Dec., 72½c. Corn—April, 62c;  
May, 62½c; July, 61½c to 62c; Sept.,  
61½c; Dec., 48½c. Oats—April, 42½c;  
May, 42½c; July, 35c to 36c; Sept., 36c  
to 36½c; Dec., 30½c. New, new, 31½c;  
31½c; Dec., 30½c. Dec., new, 32½c.  
Pork—April, \$16.80; May, \$16.82½;  
July, \$17.02½; Sept., \$17.05. Lard—  
Cash Northwestern, \$1.76; South-  
western, \$1.65½; May, \$1.67; Sept., \$1.25.  
Butter—Creameries, 23¢ to 23½c; dairies,  
24¢ to 27c. Eggs—15c. Poultry—Tur-  
keys, 10¢ to 12½c; chickens, 10¢ to 11c.

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